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Please add to TA541-8 and TA419-121.

Thanks,

Claire

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Claire,

Chugach approves the changes as you have proposed and appreciates your extra effort preparing these sheets.

Thank you.

Jean

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Jean,

I'm completing my review of the Chugach ERO filings (it's been a busy summer) and am hoping you might be able to provide some information on why the calculation of the surcharge was not spelled out on the proposed tariff sheet. I am a little concerned about future confusion if the calculation is not included somewhere with more permanence than an exhibit. Is this a change Chugach would be willing to entertain?

Thanks,

Claire

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Dena'inaq elnen'aq' gheshtnu ch'q'u yeshdu. (Dena'ina) I live and work on the land of the Dena'ina. (English) Translation by J. Isaak and S. Saginoff-Stuart

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ELECTRIC RELIABILITY ORGANIZATION SURCHARGE

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The ERO surcharge is applicable to Chugach Retail Members.

B. ERO Surcharge Balance Account

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The surcharge rate will be adjusted annually to reflect changes in the cost allocation amount as adjusted by balancing account balances and divided by projected retail sales for the recovery period. Chugach reserves the right to revise the rate more frequently if necessary.

ERO Surcharge: \$0.00090 per kWh

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